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File No. P-1534-011

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of) Date: February 16, 2005
TERRY J. CULLINAN, et al.)
App. No. 09/041,685) Group Art Unit: 1724
Filed: 03/13/1998)
For: VERTICAL VORTEX OR LAMINAR) Date of Allowance: 11/22/04
FLOW INTERACTIVE BIO MEDIA)
WATER TREATMENT DEVICE)

**SUBMITTAL OF ISSUE FEE, VERIFICATION OF CURRENT
SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Box ISSUE FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due and the communication from the Examiner, dated November 22, 2004, and entitled "Notice of Allowability", please consider the following:

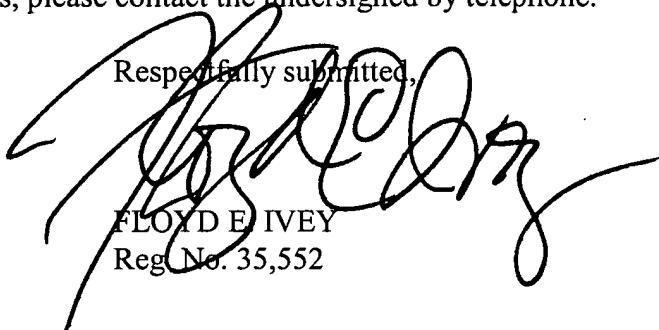
Issue Fee and Verification of Current Small Entity Status

In response to Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, Applicant now verifies his current small entity status as unchanged from the submittal of the Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming

Small Entity Status, filed March 13, 1998, and herewith submits "Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal" of the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, together with a check in the amount of \$1,000.00, representing payment of the issue fee in the amount of \$700.00 and \$300.00 for the publication fee.

Remarks

The verification has been made of current small entity status and the issue fee has been submitted herewith. An earnest attempt has been made to submit new drawings which conform to the Brief Description of the Drawings and requirements of PTO-948. If the Examiner identifies further issues regarding the drawings, please contact the undersigned by telephone.



Respectfully submitted,
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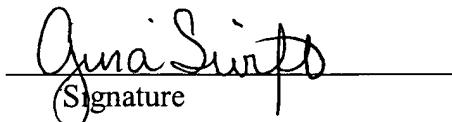
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The undersigned hereby certifies that the attached:

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[x] Issue Fee Transmittal and check for the issue and publication fees in the total sum of \$1,000.00.

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